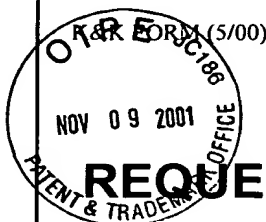


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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL FORM (37 C.F.R. § 1.114)

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This is a **request for continued examination** under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (RCE) of pending application Serial No. 09/432,338, filed on November 2, 1999, entitled **METHOD AND DEVICE FOR ACTIVATING AN ELECTROMAGNETIC CONSUMER**

The following constitute the submission **required** by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(a) and is attached:☒ Amendment After A Final Office Action previously mailed on September 28, 2001 (copy attached).☐ Information Disclosure Statement☐ Drawing Changes☐ Other Submission: _____

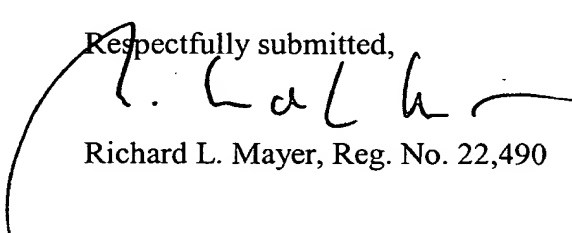
1. The filing fee for this RCE and the required amendment/submission is calculated below. The fee below is calculated based on the status of the claims after the entry of the attached amendment/submission. The fee for any new additional claims is included with this RCE, the fee for previously entered additional claims having already been paid.

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	MINUS	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT NUMBER EXTRA*	RATE (\$) PER CLAIM	FEE (\$)
BASIC FEE						740.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	7	0	20	0	18.00	0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2	0	3	0	84.00	0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM	0	0	0	0	270.00	0.00
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2. Please charge the required RCE and submission filing fee of \$ 740.00 to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**.
3. Applicant respectfully requests further one-month extension of time in which to respond to the Final Office Action dated June 11, 2001. A one month extension of time was requested on September 28, 2001, which set a response period expiring on October 11, 2001. This further one month request extends the response period to November 11, 2001. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) extension fee of \$290.00 to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**.
4. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the fees, including any additional and/or extension fees required, associated with this communication or arising during the pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**.
5. A duplicate copy of this transmittal form is enclosed.

Dated: 11/9/01

Respectfully submitted,


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